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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of a utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995.

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| This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design pplication. See instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| . [S | Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| w | Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s). a. Previously submitted | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | OR Authorization is granted to charge the fees indicated in b. in the total amount of \$[] to Deposit Account No. 08-0380. A copy of this document is enclosed for accounting purposes | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0380. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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